



Oregon Amaranth News – Update February 8, 2025

HLs and SKs –

With Grand Court just around the corner, just another reminder of the upcoming deadlines: Remember, you can find all of the Grand Court documents on the Oregon Amaranth webpage <https://www.oregonamaranth.org/about-5>

Due Date	Information
View online	2025 Tri-fold.pdf
View online	2025 Grand Court Informal Opening invite.pdf
View online	2025 Grand Court Installation invite.pdf
2/1/25 – All ads & \$\$ due 1/24 for design help	2025 Gr Ct Program Book Ad Form & Info.pdf – PAST DUE
1/31/25	2025 HOTEL RESERVATIONS.pdf – PAST DUE
2/15/25	ALL Grand Court Reports, including reports of Grand Officers required by the Grand Court Bylaws, DUE to HL Kris Aanderud. Please send electronically to: OregonAmaranthProceedings@gmail.com
2/20/25	Meal Reservations DUE - 2025 Meal Info Packet
2/22/25	Meal Reservation DUE - Penguin Banquet Order Form
2/28/25	Pre-Registration DUE - 2025 GC Registration form
3/1/25	Necrology Information due to HL Jesika Myers
3/1/25	Last Day to request 2025 Vending Table GC for Courts
3/1/25	Pre-Orders due for Corsages & Routineers

Calendar Events for Oregon Grand Court



February 2025

- 2/28 Acacia Court meeting – changed from 2/14! **Note Change**
- 2/20-22 Colorado Grand Court
- 2/27-3/1 California Grand Court

March 2025

- 3/6-8 Oregon Grand Court
- 3/20-22 Washington Grand Court
- 3/31 – SRM OV to Dogwood Court, British Columbia

GRAND COURT MESSAGE BOARD

2025 Necrology Ceremony

We wish to honor the Honored Ladies and Sir Knights we have lost this year. Please email the name, Court, and date of passing to HL Jesika Myers by March 1st to be included in this year's ceremony. pinkflamingogirl@comcast.net

DONATIONS NEEDED FOR COURTESY BAGS

HL Wendy Bednarik is requesting donations of items or cash to help build this year's Courtesy Bags. For more information, **please contact HL Wendy directly:**

Phone: 503-985-3100 Email: OrGrapesEmbroidery@gmail.com

FRIDAY NIGHT AUCTION ITEMS NEEDED

Oregon Grand Court will be Hopping to a Cure when it holds its traditional Diabetes Silent Auction and 50/50 Raffle on Friday Night of Grand Court. Donations of baskets are needed for the silent auction. Please bring your baskets and other donations to Grand Court, and contact HL Sunny Klampe to let her know how many baskets you will be bringing and their theme. For more information, **please contact HL Sunny Klampe:**


Phone: 503-559-5722 Email: Sunnydk.amaranth@gmail.com

Assistant Grand Pages and Assistant Grand Sentinels Needed

A message from HL Aisha Henderson, Grand Page and SK Edward Duquette, Grand Sentinel
We are looking for HLs who are willing to serve as Assistant Grand Pages and SKs who can serve as Assistant Grand Sentinels, for Grand Court, March 6-8. Please call or send Aisha or Edward a note if you can assist. Thanks!

Directions to Penguin Banquet

Wednesday evening, March 5, the annual Oregon Penguin Banquet will be held at Marco Polo Restaurant. Here are directions to Marco Polo from the Salem Scottish Rite:

- Salem Scottish Rite, 4090 Commercial St SE, Salem, OR 97302
- Turn right onto Commercial St SE
- [Pass by Dairy Queen Grill & Chill \(on the left\)](#) 1.8 miles
-  Commercial St SE turns right and becomes Liberty St SE
- [Destination will be on the right](#)
- **Marco Polo Restaurant, 300 Liberty St SE, Salem, OR 97301**

FLOWER PRE-ORDERS DUE BY MARCH 1

HL Carol Addison Lippert is once again offering beautiful silk corsages and boutonnieres for Grand Court attendees. The deadline for pre-orders is March 1. Orders may also be made at Grand Court. See the attached form for all the details.

GRAND COURT-SILK FLOWER ORDER FORM

FOR: _____ Ordered by: _____

Pick-Up: _____ Deliver: _____ Day: _____ Time: _____

Delivery Instructions: _____

PAID: _____ Check#: _____ Cash: _____

BOUTONNIERES: ALL SILK FLOWERS				PRICE
ROSE - 2	Color: _____	W/Green: _____	Trim: _____	_____
\$7.50				W/BB (\$1.00 Extra)
ROSE - 3	Color: _____	W/Green: _____	Trim: _____	_____
\$10.00				W/BB (\$1.00 Extra)
OTHER: _____	Color: _____	W/Green: _____	Trim: _____	_____
\$10.00				W/BB (\$1.00 Extra)

CORSAGES: ALL SILK FLOWERS Wristlet - Add \$2.50

ROSE - 2	Color: _____	Trim Color: _____	_____
\$10.00			W/BB (\$1.00 Extra)
ROSE - 3	Color: _____	Trim: _____	_____
\$12.50			W/BB (\$1.00 Extra)
ROSE - 4	Color: _____	Trim: _____	_____
\$15.00			W/BB (\$1.00 Extra)
ROSES-2	Color: _____	Trim: _____	_____
w/Mixed Spring Flowers \$17.50			W/BB (\$1.00 Extra)
MIXED SPRING (Sm)	Color: _____	Trim: _____	_____
\$12.50	(Lg) \$15.50	W/BB (\$1.00 Extra)	
ORCHID-Cymbid	Color: _____	Trim: _____	_____
	White: _____	Green: _____	Deep Rose: _____
SILK BOUQUET	Color/Trim: _____	_____	
OTHER: _____	_____		

Payment must accompany each order. TOTAL DUE _____

Make checks payable to "Carol Addison".

Send preorders no later than **March 1, 2025** to:

Carol Addison, 4783 SE Concord Road, Milwaukie, OR 97267.

Email: clusew45@gmail.com 503/654-1215

NOTE: ORDERS CAN ALSO BE MADE AT GRAND COURT!!

West Coast (best coast) Grand Courts

Just to keep you all in the know... Our other West Coast (best coast) Grand Courts are coming up soon. Below is a list of their Grand Court dates. **Please note – Washington Grand Court will NOT be the week following Oregon. It will be one week later.**

- **Grand Court of Colorado - February 20-22, 2025**
- **Grand Court of California – February 27 – March 1, 2025**
- **Grand Court of Oregon – March 6-8, 2025**, Salem Scottish Rite – Hotel Salem 503-588-9220 Reservations due by January 31, book with “Oregon Amaranth”
- **Grand Court of Washington - March 20–22, 2025**, Red Lion Hotel, Pasco-Reservations: 509-547-0701 ext. 0
Website link: [Washington Grand Court](#)
- **OV of the SRM for Dogwood Court in Beautiful British Columbian - March 31, 2025**
- **Grand Court of Arizona – May 8-10, 2025**, DoubleTree by Hilton Hotel Phoenix/Tempe, Reservations: 480-967-1441 Reference “Order of the Amaranth” and group code CDTANM.

Remember the theme for the Friday Night Banquet is

Kermit's Amaranth Connection

and all Muppet attire is encouraged!

